

## PATENT COOPERATION TREATY

PCT

From the INTERNATIONAL BUREAU

NOTIFICATION OF THE RECORDING  
OF A CHANGE(PCT Rule 92bis.1 and  
Administrative Instructions, Section 422)

To:

DEGUSSA AG  
Intellectual Property Management  
Patente und Marken  
Standort Wolfgang  
Postfach 1345  
63403 Hanau  
ALLEMAGNE

28. MAI 2001

Standort Wolfgang

Date of mailing (day/month/year)  
21 May 2001 (21.05.01)

Applicant's or agent's file reference  
990138 AO

International application No.  
PCT/EP00/06301

## IMPORTANT NOTIFICATION

International filing date (day/month/year)  
05 July 2000 (05.07.00)

## 1. The following indications appeared on record concerning:

☒ the applicant ☐ the inventor ☐ the agent ☐ the common representative

## Name and Address

DEGUSSA-HÜLS AKTIENGESELLSCHAFT  
D-60287 Frankfurt am Main  
Germany

## State of Nationality

DE

## State of Residence

DE

## Telephone No.

0 61 81 / 59-29 69

## Facsimile No.

0 61 81 / 59-43 04

## Teleprinter No.

## 2. The International Bureau hereby notifies the applicant that the following change has been recorded concerning:

☐ the person ☒ the name ☒ the address ☐ the nationality ☐ the residence

## Name and Address

DEGUSSA AG  
Bennigsenplatz 1  
40474 Düsseldorf  
Germany

not br

## State of Nationality

DE

## State of Residence

DE

## Telephone No.

+49-6181 59 2979

## Facsimile No.

+49-6181-59-4304

## Teleprinter No.

## 3. Further observations, if necessary:

Please also note the change in the address for correspondence.

## 4. A copy of this notification has been sent to:

☒ the receiving Office ☐ the designated Offices concerned  
☐ the International Searching Authority ☒ the elected Offices concerned  
☒ the International Preliminary Examining Authority ☐ other:

The International Bureau of WIPO  
34, chemin des Colombettes  
1211 Geneva 20, Switzerland

Facsimile No.: (41-22) 740.14.35

Authorized officer

Céline Faust

Telephone No.: (41-22) 338.83.38

### Notarial Certification

After my today's inspection of the Commercial Register of Frankfurt am Main "Amtsgericht" (Municipal Court) on 12th March, 2001 with reference to the former Degussa-Hüls Aktiengesellschaft, Frankfurt am Main - Commercial Register B 47234 - and my today's inspection of the Commercial Register of Frankfurt am Main, HRB 8239, referring to the previous Degussa Aktiengesellschaft as well as on the basis of the certified extract of the Commercial Register of the Municipal Court of Marl datet 19th March, 1999 referring to HRB 2050 and the certified extract of the Commercial Register of the Municipal Court of Düsseldorf dated February 15th 2001 referring to HRB 39635, which are at my disposal, I herewith certify that:

1. the total assets of Degussa Aktiengesellschaft were transferred by way of merger to Degussa-Hüls Aktiengesellschaft registered in the Commercial Register of the Marl Municipal Court under B 2050. This company had its registered seat in Marl. The merger took place on the day of its registration in the Commercial Register on 1st February, 1999 and became effective on the same date. Degussa-Hüls Aktiengesellschaft was the legal successor of Degussa Aktiengesellschaft since this date;
2. Degussa-Hüls Aktiengesellschaft transferred its seat from Marl to Frankfurt am Main and the company was registered in the Commercial Register of the Frankfurt am Main Municipal Court under B 47234 on 8th June, 1999.
3. By way of merger the total assets of Degussa-Hüls Aktiengesellschaft were transferred to Degussa AG with domicile in Düsseldorf, registered under HRB 39635 in the Commercial Register of the Düsseldorf Municipal Court. This merger was registered on February 9th 2001, since that time Degussa AG with its seat in Düsseldorf is the legal successor of Degussa-Hüls Aktiengesellschaft, Frankfurt on the Main. The nominal capital of Degussa AG, Düsseldorf is Euro 205.623.590,--.

Frankfurt on the Main, 12th March, 2001



  
(Drost)  
Notary public

#### Kostenrechnung

Geschäftswert : 5.000,00 DM  
Bescheinigungen § 50 KostO  
16 % Umsatzsteuer § 151 a KostO  
SUMME

10/10 50,00 DM  
8,00 DM  
58,00 DM

  
(Drost)  
Notary public